

Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Sunday, June 30, 2024 (9:00 a.m.)

Organist: Helen Kirschstein

Usher: Mike Ude



Hymn 609: Jesus Sinners Doth Receive (v. 1-4)

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Confession and Absolution

Hymn 609: Jesus Sinners Doth Receive (v. 5-7)

Introit

Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me! O you who have been my help, forsake me not, O God of my salvation! The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? Teach me your way, O LORD, and lead me on a level path because of my enemies. Give me not up to the will of my adversaries; for false witnesses have risen against me, and they breathe out violence. Wait for the LORD; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD! **C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.** Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me! O you who have been my help, forsake me not, O God of my salvation!

Kyrie *Lord, Have Mercy*

Gloria in Excelsis

Salutation and Collect of the Day p 205

O God, You have prepared for those who love You good things that surpass all understanding. Pour into our hearts such love toward You that we, loving You above all things, may obtain Your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Old Testament Reading: 1 Kings 19:11-21

11 And he said, "Go out and stand on the mount before the Lord." And behold, the Lord passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake. 12 And after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord

was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. 13 And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" 14 He said, "I have been very jealous for the Lord, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." 15 And the Lord said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. 16 And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. 17 And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. 18 Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him." 19 So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. 20 And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, "Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." And he said to him, "Go back again, for what have I done to you?" 21 And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

Gradual

Behold our shield, O God; look on the face of your anointed! O LORD God of hosts, hear my prayer; give ear, God of Jacob!

Epistle Lesson: 1 Corinthians 1:18-25

18 For the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. 19 For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart." 20 Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? 21 For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. 22 For Jews demand signs and Greeks seek wisdom, 23 but we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews

and folly to Gentiles, 24 but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. 25 For the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men.

Alleluia & Verse

Alleluia. O LORD, in your strength the king rejoices, and in your salvation how greatly he exults! Alleluia.

Gospel Lesson: Luke 5:1-11

5 On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, 2 and he saw two boats by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. 3 Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon's, he asked him to put out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. 4 And when he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." 5 And Simon answered, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets." 6 And when they had done this, they enclosed a large number of fish, and their nets were breaking. 7 They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. 8 But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." 9 For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish that they had taken, 10 and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men." 11 And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

Apostles' Creed p 207

Hymn 688: "Come, Follow Me," the Savior Spake

The Lord Provides for His People

1.) Through Imperfect Messengers

2.) Through His Perfect Word

Dear Lord, to Your True Servants Give (tune: #717)

1) Dear Lord, to your true servants give
The grace to you alone to live.
Set free from sin to serve you, Lord,
They go to share your living Word,
The gospel message to proclaim
That all may know your saving name.

2) They gladly go at your command
To spread your Word o'er sea and land.
Be with them, Lord, and make them strong
To heal sin's ills, to right the wrong.
Your rule is over wind and wave,
And mighty is your arm to save.

3)When all their labor seems in vain, Revive their sinking hopes again;
And when success crowns what they do, Oh, keep them humble, Lord, and true
Until before your judgment seat They lay their trophies at your feet.

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Collect

Benediction p 212 (Amen.)

The Closing Hymn 689: Let Me Be Thine Forever

Silent Prayer and Announcements

WELCOME to all our worshippers!

CLC CALL NEWS: June 23-29, 2024

Pastor Luke Bernthal of St. Stephen West, Mountain View, CA and St. Stephen East, Hayward, CA is considering a call to Messiah, Hales Corners, WI following Pastor Michael Eichstadt's retirement in September. Pastor Aaron Ude of Good Shepherd, Rapid City, SD has the call to Grace, Sleepy Eye, MN.

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